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## **Moorhead Parks and Recreation Sponsorship and Advertising Opportunities**

The City of Moorhead's Parks and Recreation Department has a mission to enrich the lives of its citizens by providing a comprehensive system of parks and affordable, diverse recreation programs that encourage health, fitness, relaxation and cultural enrichment, as well as providing opportunities for community involvement. This is accomplished through activities including our summer parks program, special events like the annual Greater Moorhead Days, facilities such as Village Green and The Meadows golf courses, and adaptive programs including soccer, swimming and more!

Moorhead Parks and Recreation seeks partners who are interested in sponsoring our events or investing in our advertising options. Opportunities to get involved are listed below, and more information can be found on succeeding pages.

### **Advertising**

Spring/Summer Brochure  
Fall/Winter Brochure  
Golf Course Scorecards

### **Special Events Sponsorship**

Frostrival, Celtic Festival, 56560 Rummage Sale, RiverArts, Farmers Market, Greater Moorhead Days, Halloween events, Sleigh Rides

We so appreciate your interest and hope you consider partnering with Moorhead Parks and Recreation! For more information, please contact Josie Gereszek at 218.299.5078 or by email at [josie.gereszek@cityofmoorhead.com](mailto:josie.gereszek@cityofmoorhead.com).

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "josie gereszek". The signature is written in a cursive, lowercase style.

Josie Gereszek  
Recreation Coordinator  
Moorhead Parks and Recreation



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## 2023 Special Event Sponsorship Agreement

**Business Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total cost:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Sponsorship Opportunities:** Please indicate what your business would like to sponsor. Event descriptions can be found on succeeding pages. Opportunities in **red** are either unavailable or the previous year sponsor has the right to renew.

<b>Frostival</b>		<b>Celtic Festival</b>	
Frozen Fortress Sponsor	\$1,500	Event Sponsor	\$1,500
Candlelight Trail Walk Sponsor	\$750	Stage Sponsor (4 available)	\$500
<b>56560 Rummage Sale</b>		<b>Farmers Market</b>	
Event Sponsor	\$750	Event Sponsor	\$1,000
<b>RiverArts</b>		Market Contributor	\$200 +
Stage Sponsor (5 available)	\$600	<b>Greater Moorhead Days</b>	
Inflatable Sponsor (5 available)	\$300	Parade Sponsor	\$2,500
<b>Photo Booth Sponsor</b>	<b>\$500</b>	<b>Kids Fest Sponsor</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>
Activity Sponsor (3 available)	\$300	Gold Medallion Sponsor	\$1,000
Balloons Sponsor (4 available)	\$300	Medallion Sponsor	\$500
<b>Halloween Events</b>		Inflatable Sponsor (5 available)	\$300
Event Sponsor	\$750	<b>Sleigh Rides</b>	
Candy or Paint Sponsor	\$300	Event Sponsor	\$750

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Advertiser Signature

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City of Moorhead

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Date



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**Frostival:** During Fargo-Moorhead's signature winter events series, Frostival, the cities of Fargo, Moorhead and West Fargo program activities and events with the help of the Fargo-Moorhead Convention and Visitors Bureau. January 14-February 25, 2023 there will be plenty of opportunities for families to get out and embrace the "cool" of winter!

- **Frozen Fortress Sponsor: \$1,500 – Fun at the Frozen Fortress offers family-friendly activities for kids and adults alike. Activities include a scavenger hunt along river trails, free ski/snowshoe rentals, snowga, games, a snow sculpture competition and more!**
  - Recognized as sponsor on print and radio ads
  - All perks listed under the Candlelight Trail Walk Sponsor below
- **Candlelight Trail Walk Sponsor: \$750 – Attendees enjoy a lit, scenic stroll around Viking Ship Park with a trip through Mary's Tunnel before warming up around a bonfire, roasting hot dogs and marshmallows and enjoying outdoor games in the snow. This year we plan to partner with Fargo-Moorhead Community Theater and local astronomy groups for additional entertainment and activities. Free ski and snowshoe rentals will be available.**
  - Included on marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and moorheadparks.com
  - Free booth space on event day
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure
  - Opportunity to provide own signage for display at event

**Celtic Festival:** Enjoy the intriguing history, arts, and tradition of Brittany, Cornwall, Isle of Man, Galicia, Ireland, Scotland and Wales! Entertainers perform and vendors set up in the Hjemkomst Center for this annual festival. Traditional Celtic food served by Concordia Catering makes this a fun event for all ages.

- **Event Sponsor: \$1,500 - Be the official sponsor of the Celtic Festival**
  - Recognized as sponsor on print and radio ads
  - All perks listed under Stage Sponsor below
- **Stage Sponsor: \$500 - Sponsor one of our main stage performers**
  - Provide a banner to be hung on stage during entire event
  - Announced as sponsor on stage before performances
  - Included on marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and moorheadparks.com
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**56560 Rummage Sale:** Local vendors are invited to set up at the beautiful Cullen Hockey Center on a Saturday morning in May. Collectibles, household items and much more are available for customers!

- **Event Sponsor: \$750 - Be the official sponsor of the 56560 Rummage Sale**
  - Recognized as sponsor in print and radio ads
  - Included on marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and on moorheadparks.com
  - Free booth space on event day
  - Provide banner to be displayed through duration of event
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure

**Farmers Market:** Throughout the summer, the Moorhead Farmers Market is open for business Tuesdays 3:30-6:30 pm. The Market was created for the benefit of the community, vendors and consumers. The market aims to provide healthy foods to the community, provide an outlet for farmers to sell their product and encourage local business development. The Market is open June-September, and we estimate 200+ shoppers per week.

- **Market Sponsor: \$1,000 - Be an official sponsor of the Moorhead Farmers Market**
  - Provide banner to be displayed at each week's Market
  - Included on all marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and moorheadparks.com
  - Recognized as a sponsor on print and radio ads
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure
- **Market Contributor: \$200-\$999 - Be a contributor to the Moorhead Farmers Market**
  - Contribute to our goal of Get Fresh. Go Local.
  - Included on all marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and moorheadparks.com
  - Recognized as a sponsor in print ads
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure



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**RiverArts:** Moorhead RiverArts takes place on five Tuesdays every summer. This community event and concert series features carriage rides, kid-friendly art activities, inflatable games, yard games and more! Businesses and organizations set up booths to sell goods and/or engage with the public. 300-500 people attend each event, depending on weather.

- **Stage Sponsor: \$600 - Be the primary sponsor of one RiverArts event**
  - **Five spots available.**
  - Provide banner to be hung on stage throughout event
  - Announced as main sponsor on night of the event with the opportunity to give a brief organization update right before entertainment
  - Recognized as a sponsor in print and radio ads
  - All incentives listed under Balloons and Inflatable Sponsors below
- **Photo Booth Sponsor: \$500 - Sponsor the photo booth featured at one event**
  - Business logo included on photo strip produced by photo booth
  - All incentives listed under Balloons and Inflatable Sponsors below
- **Activity Sponsor: \$300 - Sponsor an activity booked for one event**
  - **Past activities include a Petting Zoo, Barrel Car Rides and Carnival Games**
  - All perks listed under Balloons and Inflatable Sponsors below
- **Balloons Sponsor: \$300 - Sponsor the popular balloon-tying feature at one event**
- **Inflatable Sponsor: \$300 - Sponsor the popular inflatable offerings for one event**
  - Included on marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and moorheadparks.com
  - Announced as a sponsor before entertainment
  - Free booth space at all RiverArts events
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**Greater Moorhead Days (GMD):** Celebrate our community with Greater Moorhead Days! Join us for 10 days packed full of fun and exciting events for all ages, including the Greater Moorhead Days Parade. Take part in the Medallion Hunt, Bridge Bash and the ever-popular Kids Fest! For a full list of events, visit [moorheadparks.com](http://moorheadparks.com).

- **Parade Sponsor: \$2,500 - Be the official sponsor of the signature GMD event**
  - Priority placement in the GMD Parade
  - Recognized as a sponsor in print and radio ads
  - All incentives listed under Medallion Sponsor below
- **Kids Fest Sponsor: \$2,000 - Be the official sponsor of the popular Kids Fest**
  - Recognized as sponsor in print and radio ads
  - Announced as main sponsor on night of the event with the opportunity to give a brief organization update
  - Opportunity to provide own signage for display at event
  - All incentives listed under Game Sponsor below
- **Gold Medallion Sponsor: \$1,000 - Sponsor the grand-prize medallion in our celebratory scavenger hunt**
  - Recognized as a sponsor in print and radio ads
  - All incentives listed under Medallion Sponsor below
- **Medallion Sponsor: \$500 - Sponsor an additional medallion during our celebratory scavenger hunt**
  - Included in marketing materials including event signage, social media posts and [moorheadparks.com](http://moorheadparks.com)
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure
- **Game Sponsor: \$300 (five available) - Sponsor the popular inflatables at Kids Fest**
  - Included in marketing materials including event signage, social media posts and [moorheadparks.com](http://moorheadparks.com)
  - Announced as a sponsor at event
  - Free booth space at Kids Fest
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure



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**Halloween Events:** Set in the Moorhead Center Mall Parking Ramp, our Monster Mash Trunk-or-Treat began in 2021. Each year, roughly 1,000 kids and 2,500 people total have dressed as witches, wizards, ghouls and more to enjoy safe trick-or-treating and community connection.

Our Pumpkin Party Pick-Up started in 2020 and continues to grow each year. In 2022, we handed out 250 pumpkin gourds and paint kits to Moorhead kids within the first hour.

- **Event Sponsor: \$750 - Be the official sponsor of the Monster Mash Trunk-or-Treat**
  - Business logo included on photo strip that the photo booth produces or acknowledged in signage at face-painting station.
  - All perks listed under Candy or Paint Sponsor below
- **Candy or Paint Sponsor: \$300 - Be a candy supplier of the Monster Mash Trunk-or-Treat or paint supplier of the Pumpkin Party Pick-Up.**
  - Included on marketing materials for the event including event signage, social media posts and moorheadparks.com
  - Free booth space at the event
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure

**Sleigh Rides:** During the holiday season, enjoy a scenic sleigh ride through M.B. Johnson Park. Tickets go on sale December 1 and walk-up spots may be available. All riders receive treats and refreshments. Rides are scheduled for three days near the end of December. We estimate nearly 600 riders/year.

- **Event Sponsor: \$750 - Be the official sponsor of Parks and Recreation's Sleigh Rides**
  - Recognized as a sponsor on print and radio ads
  - Included on marketing materials including event signage, social media posts, radio advertisements and moorheadparks.com
  - Thank-you recognition in our semi-annual Parks and Recreation brochure